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I. I want to brief for you this morning our latest National Intelligence Estimates of Soviet military capabilities for attack and defense, and then review our present appreciation of the Soviet economy.

A. Let me begin by saying that we have a high degree of confidence in these estimates, which rest on a base of evidence broader and more solid than any we have had before.

1. The evidence comes from a wide variety of sources, ranging from the classical clandestine methods to electronic intelligence, the collection of nuclear test debris, and other methods I cannot discuss at this time.



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